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May 5, 2014

Delay of Effective Date until June 1, 2014, for Expansion of Drug-related Prior Authorization Categories

An expansion of drug-related prior authorization (PA) categories and services was announced in Provider Bulletin P5-14, with an effective date of May 1, 2014. To allow providers additional time to familiarize themselves with the CoverMyMeds PA submission portal (www.covermymeds.com) and prepare for an expansion of PA categories, the effective date has been delayed until June 1, 2014.

New prior authorization categories

New PA categories and criteria can be accessed using the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota provider link.

- Access providers.bluecrossmn.com
- Under Tools And Resources, select Medical policy, then acknowledge the Acceptance statement
- Select View All Active Policies
- Select Pharmacy Utilization Management Programs
 - New PA categories are listed as Upcoming, with associated 6/1/14 Effective Dates

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact provider services at (651) 662-5200 or 1-800-262-0820.